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MEMORANDUM FOR : Director of Central Intelligence  
FROM : Anthony A. Lapham  
General Counsel  
SUBJECT : Attorney General Guidelines

1. Action Requested: None; for your information only.
2. Background: Attached are Attorney General guidelines applicable to CIA per your request.
3. Subsequent to my memorandum to you describing what the Attorney General's guidelines are, the Department of Justice advised that the CIA could not conduct unconsented searches directed against U.S. persons abroad despite the existence of Attorney General procedures issued pursuant to Executive Order 11905 [REDACTED], apparently on the theory that the President had not properly delegated approval authority to the Attorney General.

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Anthony A. Lapham

Attachment

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